

Report of: Director of Public Health

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| Health and Care Scrutiny Committee | 7/3/19 | All |

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SUBJECT: ANNUAL PUBLIC HEALTH REPORT 2018

1. Synopsis

- 1.1 In England, every Director of Public Health is required to produce an independent Annual Public Health Report (APHR) about the health of their local community. The focus of the 2018 APHR for Islington is 'Healthy Ageing: Working together to improve wellbeing in later life'.
- 1.2 The concept of healthy ageing captures the broad range of factors that influence the health and wellbeing of older adults, including the wider determinants of wellbeing. This year's annual report summarises what we know about older adults living in Camden and Islington, and their health, wellbeing and quality of life.

2. Recommendations

The Committee is asked to:

- 2.1 Note and discuss the key recommendations and messages within the annual public health report
- 2.2 Consider its role in supporting dissemination of the report's key messages and recommendations.

3. Background

3.1 This year's Annual Public Health Report considers how we can work together to improve health and wellbeing in later life, with a particular focus on the key issues and themes that residents have told us are important to them:

- Quality of life, including being connected and feeling valued
- Environments that promote and support healthy ageing
- Key life transitions into and during older age
- Accessible, responsive and joined up health and care services when needed

4. Implications

4.1 **Financial Implications: N/A**

4.2 **Legal Implications: N/A**

4.3 **Environmental Implications N/A**

4.4 **Resident Impact Assessment:**

A Resident Impact Assessment is not required as the report does not change or create new policy, function, procedure, service activity or financial decision.

5. Conclusion and reasons for recommendations

5.1 To note the key recommendations and messages within the annual public health report.

Appendices

- *Appendix 1: Annual Public Health Report 2018 Summary Slides*
- *Appendix 2: Annual Public Health Report 2018 – Full Report*

Background papers:

- None

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